CALCULATING THE AP EXAM SCORE

PRE-DETERMINED:

Total points possible = 150

Essay section = 55% (82.5 points)

Multiple-choice section = 45% (67.5 points)

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| **Essay section** | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | Each Essay | | Each point (on the 9-point scale) | |
| *points* | *percent* | *points* | *percent* | *points* | *percent* |
| 82.5 | 55 % | 27.5 | 18 % | 3.0556 | 2.04 % |

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| **Multiple-choice section** | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | Each passage\* | | Each question | |
| *points* | *percent* | *points* | *percent* | *points* | *percent* |
| 67.5 | 45 % | 13.5 | 9 % | 1.2272 | .818 % |
|  |  | \* assumes, *incorrectly*, that all passages count equally | |  |  |

